

## WEBTOP: MULTIPLE APPLET DELIVERY WITHIN A FIXED-SIZED VIEWING SPACE

## ABSTRACT

5 A technique for executing applets is provided. Initially, a webtop applet is loaded  
into, for example, a browser window. The webtop applet displays the list of applets available  
to a user. The user selects one or more applets from the list received by the webtop applet.  
The webtop applet generates a separate JInternal frame for each selected applet, and each  
JInternal frame executes its associated applet within a separate window. The windows  
assume different configurations such as being resized, repositioned, cascaded, tiled,  
10 windowed, minimized, maximized, or overlapped with one or more other windows within a  
fixed-size view space of the browser window. Each window is manipulated by the user  
separately from the other windows which are contained within the fixed sized view space.